

A Workshop on Respiratory Protection for Airborne Infectious Agents

Hosted by

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

November 30, 2004; 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

December 1, 2004; 8:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

The Westin Buckhead Hotel – Atlanta, Georgia

The Centers for Disease Control (CDC) is hosting a public meeting to exchange information and seek individual input from the participants regarding the following topics:

- The current state of scientific knowledge regarding transmission of certain infectious agents through the air, focusing on the scientific basis for respiratory protection of workers and patients;
- The current state of scientific knowledge regarding respiratory protection as related to droplet nuclei and certain aerosol-transmitted agents;
- Strategies for improving the quality and effectiveness of respiratory protection; and
- Research needs to fill current knowledge gaps.

(Discussion topics may be subject to change.)

Rooms are reserved at the Westin Buckhead Hotel under a CDC room block for the evenings of Monday, November 29, 2004; Tuesday, November 30, 2004; and Wednesday, December 1, 2004; at the government rate of \$113 per night. The CDC meeting must be referenced to receive this special rate. Interested parties should make hotel reservations directly with the Westin Buckhead at 1-800-937-8461 or 404-365-0065 before the cut-off date of November 12, 2004.

Interested parties should confirm their attendance to this meeting by registration form:

<http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/npptl/resources/pressrel/announcements/113004wkshp/>

or save the form and forward it by e-mail (npptlevents@cdc.gov) or fax (304-225-2003) to the NPPTL Event Management Office.

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